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1. IN THE INTEREST OF EFFICIENCY AND ECONOMY IT IS THE AMBASSADOR'S DESIRE TO HAVE A FULLY INTEGRATED ADMINISTRATIVE PROGRAM IN YUGOSLAVIA; THEREFORE EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 12, 1978, THE MISSION DESIRES TO INCREASE FAAS BY FIVE FSL POSITIONS IN BELGRADE AND ONE IN ZAGREB. FIVE POSITIONS WILL BE DRIVERS AND ONE WILL BE A SENIOR PROCUREMENT CLERK.

2. ALL REQUESTED FSL POSITIONS WOULD BE DESIGNATED AS DAS. ALL SIX POSITIONS WOULD BE TRANSFERRED FROM USIS COMPLEMENT TO FAAS ALLOTMENT.

3. THE USIS SENIOR PROCUREMENT CLERK NOW ASSISTS IN USIS PROGRAM PROCUREMENT, HANDLES PROGRAM PROPERTY INVENTORIES AND ASSISTS WITH PRE-PROCUREMENT MARKET RESEARCH AND CASHIER WORK. THE TRANSFER OF THIS POSITION TO DAS WOULD ENSURE FULL INTEGRATION OF STATE/USIS PROCUREMENT ACTIVITIES AND BETTER UTILIZE THE PERSONNEL CONCERNED.
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CURRENT FAAS MOTOR POOLS ARE UNABLE TO ABSORB TOTAL USIS TRANSPORTATION REQUIREMENTS WITHOUT ADDITIONAL FSL DAS POSITIONS AS WELL AS THE EIGHT USIS VEHICLES (SIX IN BELGRADE, TWO IN ZAGREB). INTEGRATION OF MOTOR POOL SERVICES WILL RESULT IN ELIMINATION OF DUPLICATE SERVICES FOR STATE/USIS AND ENABLE MUCH MORE EFFICIENT USE OF POOL FOR ALL PARTICIPATING AGENCIES.

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4. THE ADDITIONAL POSITIONS ARE REQUESTED IN ORDER TO EFFECT COMPLETE INTEGRATION OF USIS/STATE ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITIES AND THE FULL COST WOULD BE FUNDED BY USIS THROUGH FY-1979.

5. ADMINISTRATIVE INTEGRATION OF OTHER EMBASSY ELEMENTS IS NOW PENDING.
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